



**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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 Plaintiff,)
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 v.)
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 ROLAND HINDS,)
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 Defendant.)

2:12-CR-224-KJD-(PAL)

PRELIMINARY ORDER OF FORFEITURE

This Court finds that on April 23, 2013, defendant ROLAND HINDS pled guilty to Count Three of a Four-Count Criminal Indictment charging him in Count Three with Receipt of Child Pornography, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2252A(a)(2). Criminal Indictment, ECF No. 1.

This Court finds defendant ROLAND HINDS agreed to the forfeiture of the property set forth in the Forfeiture Allegation of the Criminal Indictment and the Bill of Particulars. Criminal Indictment, ECF No. 1; Bill of Particulars, ECF No. 16.

This Court finds, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(1) and (2), the United States of America has shown the requisite nexus between property set forth in the Forfeiture Allegation of the Criminal Indictment, the Bill of Particulars, and agreed to in the Plea Agreement, and the offense to which defendant ROLAND HINDS pled guilty. Criminal Indictment, ECF No. 1; Bill of Particulars, ECF No. 16; Plea Agreement, ECF No. 23.

The following assets are subject to forfeiture pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 2253(a)(1) and (a)(3):

1. Gateway Computer Tower, Serial Number BTGCPP20042;
2. Toshiba Laptop with Power Cord, Serial Number CR027701Q;
3. Attache flash drive;
4. Western Digital External Hard Drive, Serial Number WMX1E61EEWX7;
5. Toshiba External Hard Drive, Serial Number 81U1P9FYTQ11; and
6. any book, magazine, periodical, film, videotape, or other matter which contains any such visual depiction, which was produced, transported, mailed, shipped, or received; computer images, including movie and still image files, depicting a minor engaging in sexually explicit conduct and the diskettes and hard drives on which they are maintained ("property").

This Court finds the United States of America is now entitled to, and should, reduce the aforementioned property to the possession of the United States of America.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the United States of America should seize the aforementioned property.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED all right, title, and interest of ROLAND HINDS in the aforementioned property is forfeited and is vested in the United States of America and shall be safely held by the United States of America until further order of the Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the United States of America shall publish for at least thirty (30) consecutive days on the official internet government forfeiture website, www.forfeiture.gov, notice of this Order, which shall describe the forfeited property, state the time under the applicable statute when a petition contesting the forfeiture must be filed, and state the name and contact information for the government attorney to be served with the petition, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(6) and Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(n)(2).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a petition, if any, must be filed with the Clerk of the Court, 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

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1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a copy of the petition, if any,
2 shall be served upon the Asset Forfeiture Attorney of the United States Attorney's Office at the
3 following address at the time of filing:

4 MICHAEL A. HUMPHREYS
5 Assistant United States Attorney
6 Lloyd D. George United States Courthouse
333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Suite 5000
Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

7 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the notice described herein
8 need not be published in the event a Declaration of Forfeiture is issued by the appropriate agency
9 following publication of notice of seizure and intent to administratively forfeit the above-described
10 property.

11 DATED this 23rd day of April, 2013.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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